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County Issues Status Report on Human Services Consolidation

Monroe County Executive Jack Doyle today released a report showing that the County is moving ahead to consolidate human and health services. The updated report, which is titled "*Project Transform*," details the County's progress in its effort to reorganize human services functions.

"I am confident that this effort will revolutionize the human services system and save taxpayers millions of dollars," said Doyle. "The project is designed so the County can serve those in need in a user-friendly environment, helping them to access the assistance they need. Monroe County is dedicated to building relationships with all our citizens and I am pleased to see this reorganization move forward at a steady and thorough pace."

The report, which is available on the Monroe County Web site, underscores the need to provide a common sense, customer focused system of human service delivery. The County's consolidation initiative will save taxpayers up to \$30 million in 2003 by enabling the County to reduce duplication and inefficiencies. It will also enable the County to streamline services and reduce paperwork, making it easier for those in need to access human services.

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